the last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Union Government have formulated any scheme for exploitation of lime and Iron-ore in Anantpur District; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the time by which it is likely to be started?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF MINES (SHRI BALRAM SINGH YADAV): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Gold: Preliminary explorations for gold have established low-grade mineralised zones in the Jubital, Kottapalle, Penukonda blocks of Ramagari schist belt and minor gold mineralisation in Penakecheria -Kudur block also.

Drilling indicated reserves of Gold ore of 23,734 tonnes with an average grade of 3.84 g/t. 10,700 tonnes with 60 m. in Bhadrampalle block. In Ramapuram block a reserve of 1.53 lakh tonnes of gold are as saying 1.88 g/t was indicated upto 70 m. depth.

Diamond: Investigation for demand in Kimberlite pipe rocks of Anantpur district indicated incidence of 0.33 to 0.50 carats for 100 tonnes in Lattavaram pipes and 8.52 carats in Kimberlite rock and 48.23 carats in the over burden for 100 tonnes in the venkatampalle pipe.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

Supply of HDS Gas to Waghria Industrial Areas of Baroda (Gujarat)

1128. KUMARI DIPIKA CHIKHLIA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any proposal to supply HDS Gas through HDS pipeline to Waghria Industrial town of Baroda (Gujarat) ; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Allocation to Kerala under Intensive Paddy Production Scheme

1129. SHRI T.J. ANJALOSE: Will the Minster of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state the amount allocated to Kerala under 'Intensive Paddy Production Scheme' during 1991-92?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE(SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): There is no such Scheme. However, there is a Scheme namely 'Centrally Sponsored Integrated Programme for Rice Development.' The amount allocated to Kerala under this Scheme is Rs. 153.33 lakhs, out of which the Central Share is Rs. 115.00 lakhs and State share is Rs. 38.33 lakhs.

World Bank assistance for coal projects

1130. KUMARI VIMLA VERMA: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether funds were sanctioned for the development of some coal projects in the country during 1990-91;

(b) if so, the details thereof, projectwise; and

(c) the details of the coal projects proposed to be developed with the World Bank assistance during the Eighth Five Year Plan doing with the costs thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI S.B. NYAMAGOUDA): (a) to (c). The list of new

coal projects and Revised Cost Estimates sanctioned by the Government during 1990-91 is given in the Statement below:

The undermentioned coal projects are being implemented with the assistance of the World Bank:

Project	*Company*	*Amount of World Bank loan (US $ million)*
Dudhichua CC	NCL	109.0
Block-II CC	BCCL	57.7
Sonepur Bazari CC	SECL	114.8
Gevra CC	SECL	65.2

The following coal projects/schemes have been sent to the World Bank for consideration for loan assistance:-

1. Improvement in productivity of underground mines (34) of Coal India Ltd. - Tota; estimated investment on this is expected to be Rs. 655.73 crores.

2. Dudhichua Phase II CCP of NCL -The total investment on this project is expected to be Rs. 497.32 crores.

3. K.D. Hesalong Expansion CCP, CCL- Total investment of this project is expected to be about Rs. 156 crores.

4. Jambad CCP of ECL- The sanctioned cost of the project is Rs. 210.55 crores.

5. Dealing with coalfied fires in Jharia- Total investment on this scheme would be around Rs. 250.00 crores.

STATEMENT

Sl. No.	Project	Companmy	Capacity mtpa	Capital Cost (Rs. crores)
1	2	3	4	5
1.	RCE for Central Workshop*	NCL	...	68.72
2.	RCe for Amlohri OCP	NCL	4.00	527.11
3.	RCE for Katras UG	BCCL	0,90	91.81
4.	RCE for North Amlabad	BCCL	0.57	69.48
5.	RCE for Satgram UG	ECL	1.20	148.26
6.	Goleti Longwall project	SCCL	0.76	102.07
7.	RCE for Bharatpur OCP	SECL	3.50	158.97
8.	RCE for Dhanpuri OCP	SECL	1.25	54.69
9.	RCE for Ghugus OCP	WCL	1.50	98.07
10.	RPR for J.K. Nagar UG	ECL	0.87	95.28
11.	Lingaraj OCP	SECL	5.00	229.84
12.	RCE for Captive Power Plant*	CCL	2 x 10 MW	58.80

* Non-mining projects.

RCE: Revised Cost Estimates

UG : Underground

OCP : Opencast Project